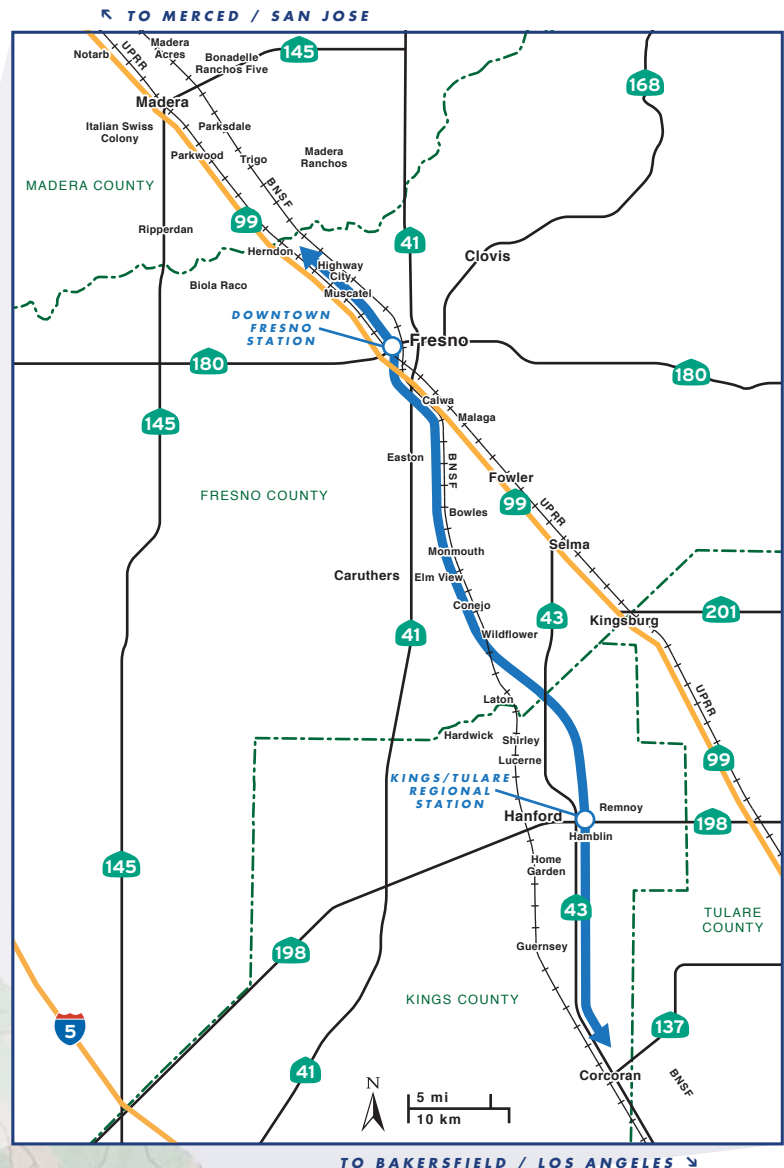








BAY AREA TO LOS ANGELES: STARTING IN THE CENTRAL VALLEY

The Start of a Statewide System:

With only the Central Valley eligible for initial federal construction funding, high-speed rail engineers have recommended* that the Authority's Board of Directors begin construction with these first 65 miles. Starting from near where the trains will turn west toward San Jose, south through Fresno toward Bakersfield, these tracks would form the backbone of the statewide system connecting the Bay Area to Los Angeles, starting in the Central Valley.



LEGEND

-  Planned Station
-  High-Speed Rail Track
-  Other Railroads
-  Major Highways
-  Minor Highways
-  County Boundaries



*This recommendation will be presented at the 12/2/10 CHSRA Board Meeting and will be subject to Board approval.